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	In re Application of Gideon STRASSMANN <i>et al.</i>		
	Application Number 09/988835-Conf. #9376		Filed November 19, 2001
	For METHODS FOR TREATING DIABETES		
	Art Unit 1648		Examiner Winkler, Ulrike

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

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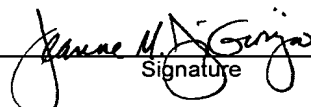
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